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Application of: Chen et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.115, please enter the following amendment prior to examination of the application in the event that the accompanying Petition to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority is accepted.

Applicants submit herewith a Petition to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority under 37 C.F.R. § 1.78.

In this paper, an amendment to the specification is presented at page 2. Remarks begin on page 3.